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BALANCED NEWS, FEARLESS VIEWS



Hanoi miracle: Pinoy booters make history

By Cedelf P. Tupas

P-Noy's rating hits 79%

VP Binay, 4 Cabinet execs rate high, too

NEARLY eight out of every 10 Filipinos expressed approval of the performance of President Aquino and Vice President Jejomar Binay, according to results of the latest Pulse Asia survey.



HIGH MARKS President Aquino and Vice President Jejomar Binay take time to talk during Monday's awarding rites for the 2010 Model OFW Family of the Year at the Sofitel Hotel in Pasay City.

'MORONG 43'

Release 'good' for talks

By Jocelyn R. Uy and TJ Burgonio

Filipino game maker lives out boyhood fantasy

Prize-winning pump improves farmers' lives

By Carla P. Gomez
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Gringo's name on mutineers list; senators surprised

By Gil C. Cabacungan Jr.

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1st WikiLeaks cable citing PH bared

US suspected ex-Saudi envoy to Manila of terrorist activities

A FORMER ambassador of Saudi Arabia to Manila was suspected by Washington of "potential involvement" in terrorism, but a Saudi prince vouched for him, according to a secret United States memo from Riyadh released by the online whistle-blower WikiLeaks.

DILG forms tracker team to find Lacson



GOOD EXAMPLES

Crows will turn white before Bello apologizes

Belmonte to take AIDS test to show need for health fund

NFA hikes rice price by P2

C. R. Artigas; 79

PAL union calls for strike vote in midst of talks

Meralco customers get holiday break

LPG prices climb



Filipino game maker lives out boyhood fantasy



Young team

US pop culture



FILIPINO computer game developer Niel Dagondon poses with games developed by his company Anino in his office in Makati City in this photo taken on Oct. 29.

Market explosion

Need for big capital

Dreaming of blockbusters

AFP



Prize-winning pump improves farmers' lives



Tara experience

Money grant

Time consuming

Online voting





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P-Noy's rating hits 79%; Binay's at 78%

Public awareness

Soliman, De Lima

Ambivalent

Release good for peace talks with Reds, says bishop

Avoid hitches

Extend truce

Time with family

Reaffirm agreements

Hunger strike

Hanoi miracle: Pinoy booters beat Viets, make history



Younghusband scores

P-Noy elated

Say YES to Toyota's biggest offerings for 2010!

Who wouldn't say yes to owning a brand new Toyota? From December 3-31, 2010, Toyota is giving you an early Christmas treat with the launch of the Year End Savings or the YES promo.

The YES Promo offerings provide more convenient ways of owning a Toyota Vios, Innova or Fortuner this Christmas.

As a special year-end promo, vehicle patrons have the option to choose from a wide array of financing methods like the Pay Low, Pay Light and Pay Later, with the addition of the new Pay Easy offer. Current Toyota customers can also avail of the special loyalty discount within this month.

Say YES to PAY LOW!

Aspiring vehicle owners will surely say yes to Toyota's low down payment rates for as low as 10%. For only P65,000 down payment, you can now drive home a new Toyota Vios 1.3 E M/T. You can also get the Innova J Gas at P79,300 or the Fortuner 4x2 G Dsl M/T at P134,900 down payment.

Say YES to PAY LIGHT!

Those looking for a new car will find it hard to resist lighter installment fees every month! Monthly payments can be as low as P6,500 for the Vios 1.3 E M/T; P7,700 for the Innova J Gas; and P13,500 for the Fortuner 4x2 G Dsl M/T all up to 72 months. And if you choose to pay in 18 months, you can even get a special 0% interest rate for the Vios 1.3 G A/T.

Say YES to PAY CASH!

Toyota customers will delight in knowing that big savings await them when they pay cash. Get up to P80,000 savings for the Fortuner and up to P40,000 for the Innova and the Vios.

Say YES to PAY LATER!

Toyota knows how vehicle buyers aspire for the thrill of getting their hands on that new drive as soon as possible! That's why customers can drive a new Toyota this year, and start their monthly installments 90 days after the transaction.

Toyota gives you two more reasons to own a Toyota this holiday season!

Say YES to PAY EASY!

Toyota allows you the option to further lower your amortization rates! With the Pay Easy option, the customer will just have to pay a deposit ranging from 14% (for the Vios and Innova), 15% (for the Fortuner), or up to 25%. Toyota Financial Services (TFS) will then compute the remaining amount to be financed. There will be a required lump sum payment which will be settled at the end of the agreed term, resulting in lower monthly amortization. Terms may range from 24 to 60 months.

Say YES to LOYALTY DISCOUNTS!

Toyota values its loyal customers! This Christmas, special loyalty discounts will also be given away to existing Toyota owners who want to purchase selected Toyota vehicles. All they have to do is present proof of ownership of currently owned Toyota cars and they can avail of up to P40,000 additional savings.

Say YES to Toyota dealer Christmas surprises!

If you can't get enough of Toyota discounts, visit your nearest Toyota dealer from December 7-12, 2010 and avail of even more exciting freebies and discounts!

Toyota Showroom Entrance Discount of P10,000!

Upon entering the showroom, you will be rewarded an instant discount of P10,000 which can be added to other discounts and to the YES Promo.

Toyota Showroom Christmas Tree

Apart from that P10,000 entrance discount, you have the chance to pick an additional treat from the Showroom Christmas Tree in the form of additional discounts, accessories or a special Dealer surprise! Try your luck and see what's in store for you!

Toyota Showroom Reservation Raffle

A chance to win an additional P50,000 discount could be yours when you reserve a new Toyota vehicle (except for the Alphard, Hiace, Hilux, Land Cruiser and Land Cruiser Prado) from December 7-12. All you need is a minimum P50,000 reservation fee to fill up your raffle coupon. Toyota will be drawing 10 winners of the P50,000 discount so hurry and reserve a new Toyota.

Visit your nearest Toyota dealer now and say yes to Toyota's Year End Savings promo.

For inquiries, call Customer Assistance Center (CAC) hotline at 819-2812 or Toyota Financial Services at 858-8308.

Per DTI-NCR Permit No. 7881, Series of 2010.



Inquire at your nearest Toyota dealer now!

TOYOTA *moving forward*

Interviews with a killer and a torturer



Truth, purpose, action

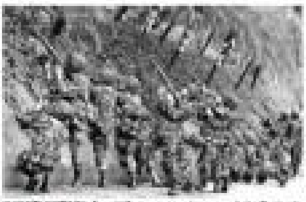
The art of torture

Encounter with assassin

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Kicked in the thigh

Chaos at Peninsula

Leftovers for snacks

Witness to history

Gringo's name on mutineers list; senators surprised



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Still waiting for polls' source code

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Price of local loaf to stay low

Ex-top Marine's app't confirmed

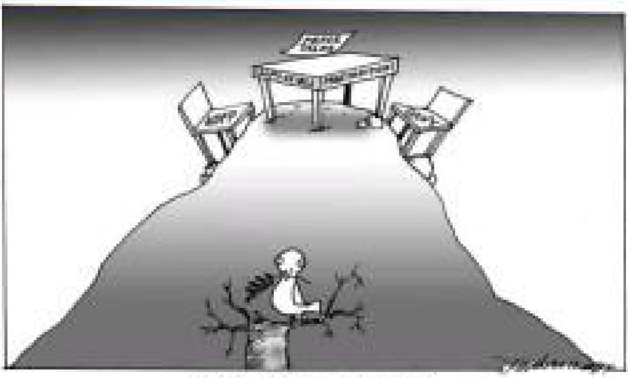


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Better dead than jailed

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Multi-tiered racket?

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Juan L. Mercado



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Nickel firms deny causing fish kill

UP deposit restituted by PNB

What counts the most in winners

Associate Editor: Tony Bergonia

Across the NATION

Families of cops in massacre hold rally

COTABATO CITY—Wives and children of policemen charged in connection with the massacre of 58 people in Maguindanao urged the government to release their husbands and fathers.

Baguio task force seeks help vs protectors of gambling

Not endorsed

Erratic weather, lack of seeds drive price of 'duman' up



Soldiers to stay on alert status during ceasefire

By Joey Gabieta
Inquirer Visayas

'Salvage' survivor has nowhere to go after hospital release

Under threat

> "Threats are possible. It could come from the third suspect who remained at large or probably from some cohorts of the two (policemen)."

NEWSBRIEFS

BATAAN

Truck overturns; 3 women dead

ZAMBALES

P10-M bank heist

ISABELA

Truck falls; 7 killed

ANTIQUE

1 dead in bus plunge



MARC Reyes serves to Alvin Ry during their match at the PCA Open.

Reyes, Arcilla overwhelm PCA Open foes

By Marc Anthony Reyes

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Derby on for best athlete

Asiad champs, poomsae trio, Django top PSA Awards prospects

By June Navarro

[illegible]







REY Saladar, Bboy Rivera and Dennis Orcollo (from left) starred in the national campaign in the recent Guangzhou Asiad.

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Morales, Estayo dominate track races

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Pagcor funds key to twin PSC battle plans

By June Navarro

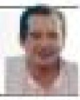
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GARCIA

Donaire: I know I can beat Montiel

BARE EYE



Recah Trinidad

[illegible]

PhilCycling road race up in Tagaytay today

[illegible]

Vorbeck leads PSC victors

[illegible]

Boss BMW Ironman moto endurance briefing all set

[illegible]



A BMW rider is flagged off in last year's Ironman challenge.

NCA world championship derby unfolds next month

[illegible]

Serbia cops first Davis Cup crown over France



MEMBERS of the Serbian national tennis team jubilate after winning the Davis Cup finals against France in Belgrade Sunday.

Spurs trounce Hornets, keep NBA top spot

Knicks 116, Raptors 99

Nuggets 108, Grizzlies 107

John keeps WBA title

McDowell foils Tiger's title bid

Caps year with playoff win



GRAEME McDowell of Northern Ireland celebrates a birdie on the 18th green which forced a one-hole playoff with Tiger Woods.

SPORTSWATCH

Francisco PSA Forum guest

Guerra tops MCC chess

Donaire no flash in the pan—Salud



DONAIRE: Power and poise

Santos, 2 other Pinoys triumph



BOXING CENTER: Amateur Boxing Association of the Philippines head Ricky Vargas (left) and Misamis Oriental Gov. Oscar Moreno cut the ribbon during the inauguration of the Smart-Abap-MVP Region 10 Boxing Training Center in Cagayan de Oro City recently. With them is Abap secretary general Patrick Gregorio.

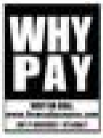
Aguinaldo paces Flight A by 17 over Baguio CGT

Tee time at Fil-Am Invitational

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Ateneo Eagles keep soaring, cop PCCL title



Japanese fighter unseats Tanada

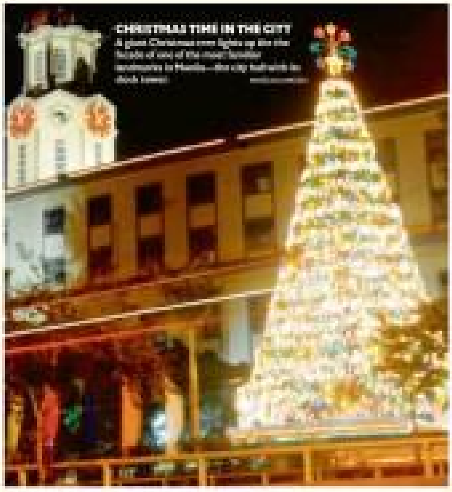
Aplus METRO

DENR reviews Edsa traffic solutions

Paje: Faster travel time means lower gas emissions, pollution levels

FOR THE SAKE of cleaner air, the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) wants to achieve what Metro Manila residents have long considered an impossible dream: To cut down travel time from Makati City to Cubao in Quezon City to just 15 minutes.

DOE eyes reopening of FPIC pipeline



CHRISTMAS TIME IN THE CITY

Nearly 200 families lose homes, possessions in Marikina City, Pateros fires



COLORFUL DISPLAY

Rookie cop wounded in fight with robbers

Cops say money problems made BIR man kill self

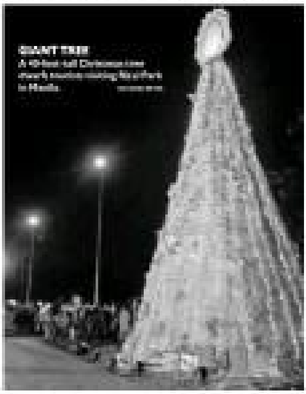
By Julie M. Aurelio



MARIAN PROCESSION

Parañaque introduces online tax payment

Court to hear 'kuliglig' drivers' petition today



GIANT TREE

Ex-NBI chief was too trusting of his men

ON TARGET

Ramon Tulfo



Help needed for 2-year-old



SCARELLA

METROBRIEFS

Lim leads fire volunteers

3 nabbed for illegal gambling

2 killed at wake in Quezon City

Defiant Iran declares nuclear 'self-sufficiency'

S. Korea gets tough, starts live-fire drills



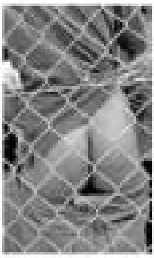
Israel overpowers deadly blaze after 4-day battle

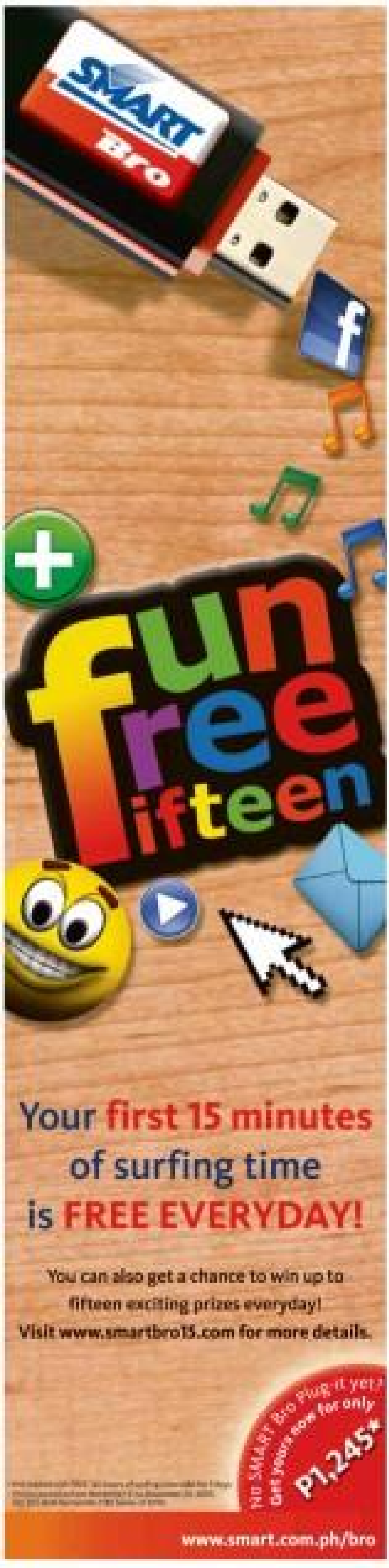


Greek police say arrests foiled imminent attack

Website for teens with literary leanings opens

Amnesty assails Malaysia caning 'epidemic'





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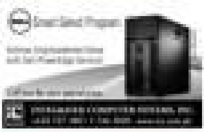
WikiLeaks bares sites in world 'vital' to US



WASHINGTON—WikiLeaks has divulged a secret list compiled by Washington of key infrastructure sites around the world that could pose a critical danger to US security if they come under terrorist attack.



Oprah, Paul McCartney among five recipients of Kennedy Center honors



Editor Raul G. Marcelo • Assistant Editor Corrie S. Narisma

BUSINESS



Indian BPO sets up shop in PH

INDICATORS

PESO-DOLLAR RATE

Dec. 6, 2010

43.750



STOCK MARKET

Dec. 6, 2010

46.64



Trading turns upbeat

Vote of confidence from country's main rival

A UNIT of India's biggest industrial house last week launched its business process outsourcing facility in the Philippines, representing a vote of confidence from the country's main rival in the global outsourcing industry.

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By Doris C. Dumlao

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Alphaland ties up with Akean for Aklan project

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DOT CHIEF STAYS AT DISCOVERY SHORES BORACAY

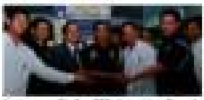
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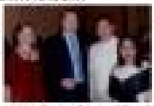
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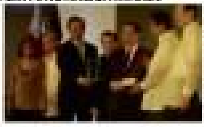
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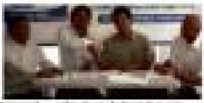
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Smart brings relief goods to 'Juan' victims in Isabela

Five DDB ads bag CMMA awards

SM Supermalls Cyberzone, a complete hub for IT

StarTek launches new projects for adopted school

All in a day's volunteer work for Telus Int'l Phils

'Art of body perfection' at The Zen Institute

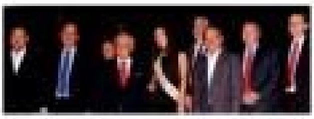
Philippine Business Bank selects Nucleus Software

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GERMAN-PHILIPPINE CHAMBER HOLDS TRADE EXPO



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BUREAU OF CUSTOMS

H&L PET ESSENTIALS IN SUPER BRANDS SUPER SALE



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OBITUARIES

MATILDE P. TABLANTE

Peacefully joined her Creator on 5 December 2010 at the age of 90.

Her body lies in state at La Funeraria Paz, Araneta Avenue, Quezon City.

Interment will be announced later.

In Loving Memory

on the 100th Birthday of

AMBROSIO BIBBY PADILLA

on December 7, 2010

Church	Time
Sacred Heart Parish, Kamuning	5:15 a.m.
Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Kanlaon St., Quezon City	6:00 a.m.
Basilica San Martin Tours, Taal, Batangas	6:00 a.m.
Sta. Maria Della Strada Parish, Katipunan Ave., Quezon City	7:00 a.m.
Sta. Teresita Church, Kanlaon, Quezon City	7:00 a.m.
Parish of St. James the Great, Ayala Alabang Village	6:20 p.m.

Twenty-Third Death Anniversary

of

JAIME V. ONGPIN

June 15, 1938 – December 7, 1987

"Even when I walk through a dark valley, I feel no harm. For you are at my side, your rod and staff give me courage..."

Psalm 23:4

Death Notice

BUSINESS

Economy to sustain growth of up to 5.5% in '11

Global Source says PH growth rate may already have reached plateau

FMIC says peso will strengthen by year's end

Companies urged to take closer look at trade pacts



SHOWING GILAS

GMA grabbed 35.4% of Mega Manila viewers in Nov.

Philex shipped ₱2.36B worth of metals in Nov.

Gov't cuts maturity of T-bonds

Tax effort said to be no different in next 2 years

LIFESTYLE Wellness









From fat burners to appetite suppressants that are natural

To avoid holiday weight gain, know your supplements

THE CHRISTMAS season is a high risk time for holiday weight gain. Although studies have shown that people on the average gain a pound or two, those who are overweight gain some five pounds.

Thermogenics

Natural appetite suppressants

Fat inhibitors



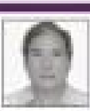




Special Feature

ARTHRITIS Q&A

by Perry P. Tan, M.D., FPCP, FPRA





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Happiness is a decision

George Sison's 'soul spa'

[illegible]

A PURPOSEFUL life, filled with prosperity and free of worries, is such an ideal state—especially with all the negativity abound in today's society. But could it still be a possibility?

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Meditation made easy

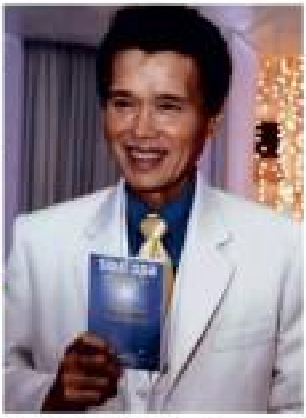
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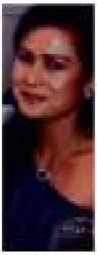
REGINA [illegible] and George Sison



AGNES [illegible]



GEORGE Sison with his book [illegible]



[illegible]

Erroneous thinking

[illegible]

Can a psychic see you naked?

INNER AWARENESS



Jaime T. Licauco

No one can read your mind or 'psychically' see you in the shower—if you don't want it to happen

[illegible]

Snooping neighbors

[illegible]

Celebrating the gift of sight

MakatiMed shares eye-opening facts on common aging eye conditions



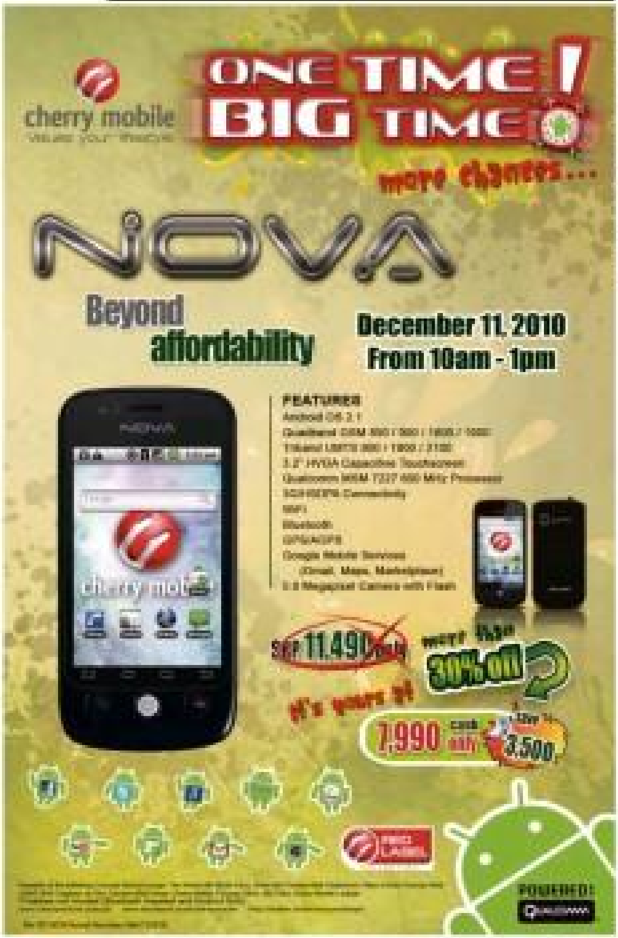
Gift of health from MMC



Everyday remedies

Antidotes for constipation, blisters and insect bites





Motorists, drivers urged to become organ donors



ENTERTAINMENT

Foreign acts coming soon

[illegible]



Why these legends should live on and make more music

By Pocholo Concepcion
Photos by August de la Cruz

Ugat: The Legends of Pinoy Folk and Rock
Dec. 3, Araneta Coliseum

REVIEW

[illegible]



SAMPAGUITA [illegible]









Why these legends ...

From page A1





FLORANTE, now based in the United States, has his folksy appeal and [illegible] sense of humor intact. He gets elated at the crowd's warm welcome.



crafted lyrics of Granada's "Kahit Konti," [illegible] and "Hadlang."

Heber Bartolome and Lolita Carbon sustained audience interest with their folk-rock sound. Bartolome had a surprise guest singer, J.R. Prieto, who reprised the rap verses from Francis M's version of "Tayo'y Mga Pinoy."

Among the three members of Juan de la Cruz, it was Mike Hanopol and Wally Gonzales who were apparently still in good shape. Hanopol, playing with his favorite Steinberger headless guitar, performed with [illegible] energy in [illegible], [illegible] and "Laki Sa Layaw." Granada's set was a bit too loud though, or was it just our eardrums showing signs of wear and tear?

All these years, Joey "Pepe" Smith remains a paradox. He's the rock star who almost always [illegible]. That Friday night his voice was hoarse and he couldn't stop flailing over and focusing on his guitar—in effect missing out the lyrics of his songs by a few beats.

Good thing he had Jun Lopito, his constant sideman since JDK broke up, on lead guitar. Lopito's textured playing enhanced the music in Smith's [illegible] and [illegible]

Whatever songs the audience felt were missing from the repertoire were heard during the opening and closing medleys—of which Sampaguita's [illegible] and Florante's "Handog" delivered powerful reminiscent themes, aspirations, gratitude and mortality.

Long after the singers are gone, the songs live on.

But let's not kill the legends yet. Chuck Berry is 84, Willie Nelson is 77, Bob Dylan is 69 and they're all actively playing. It would be great to see Sampaguita, Smith and the rest (with the exception of the still prolific Granada and [illegible]) write new songs so they'll have something new to say the next time around.



AT TOP left, Mike Hanopol—still in good shape; above, the wildly cheering [illegible] audience.

THE PROLIFIC Gary Granada gives a sample of his folk music with [illegible] crafted lyrics.

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THE FACE of Pinoy rock: Joey "Pepe" Smith plays rhythm guitar [illegible]. Lolita Carbon's raspy vocals add grit to her bluesy songs.



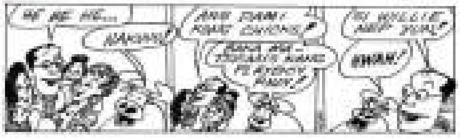




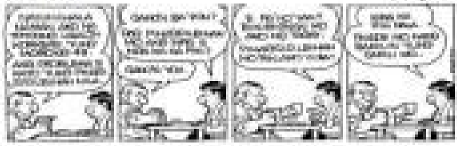


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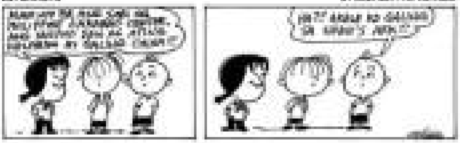


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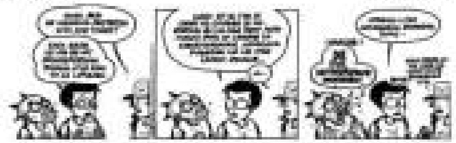




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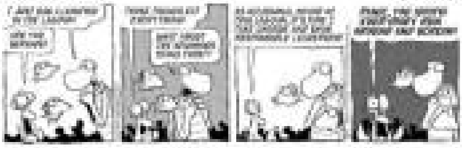


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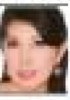
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Why Aiko-Martin marriage failed

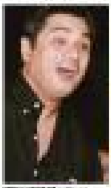


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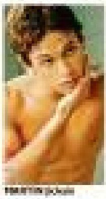
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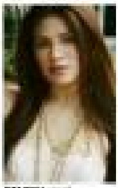
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